

SENATE BILL 419

By Bunch

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 2, Chapter 11 and Title 2, Chapter 12, relative to election commissions.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 2-11-101(a), is amended by deleting the language “five (5) members” and substituting instead the language “seven (7) members”.

SECTION 2. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 2-11-102, is amended by deleting the language “two (2) members” and substituting instead the language “three (3) members”.

SECTION 3. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 2-11-103, is amended by deleting subsection (a) and substituting instead the following:

Four (4) members of the commission shall be members of the majority party, and three (3) members of the commission shall be members of the minority party.

SECTION 4. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 2-11-104, is amended by deleting subsection (a) and substituting instead the following:

All members shall be elected for a term of four (4) years, beginning on the first Monday in May 1979; provided, however, the two (2) additional members added in 2009 shall be elected for a term of four (4) years, within one (1) month of the effective date of this act.

SECTION 5. This act shall take effect upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring it.